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In re application of:

David J. Pinsky, et al.

Serial No.: 09/053,871

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Art Unit: 1644

For: METHODS FOR TREATING AN ISCHEMIC DISORDER AND IMPROVING STROKE OUTCOME

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

 X Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

 a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed.

 X No additional fee is required.

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Independent Claims	1	-	** 3	=	*** 0	x	\$ 39.00	\$ 78.00	=	0	
Multiple Dependent Claims(s) Presented <u> </u> Yes <u> X </u> No							\$130.00	\$260.00		0	
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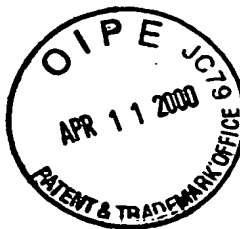
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X Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OCTOBER 7, 1999 OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is submitted in response to the October 7, 1999 Office Action which was issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. A reply to the October 7, 1999 Office Action was originally due January 7, 2000. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time. The fee for a three-month extension of time is \$435.00 (FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIVE DOLLARS) for a small entity. A check including this amount is enclosed. Applicants have previously established small entity status. Therefore, a response is now due April 7, 2000. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the specification:

On page 20, line 35, after "V-5'" insert --(SEQ ID NO:1)--.
On page 21, line 7, after "V-5'" insert --(SEQ ID NO:2)--.
On page 21, line 15, after "A-5'" insert --(SEQ ID NO:3)--.
On page 21, line 28, after "C-5'" insert --(SEQ ID NO:4)--.
On page 63, line 21, delete "DeToxi-gel" and substitute therefor